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1. A meeting was held by the Wonokromo Onder Sectie Comite (OSC) of the Surabaya Section of the Partai Komunis Indonesia (PKI) for representatives from the Wonokromo Rayan Comites (RC) at Gang II/245, Djetis, on 18 January 1953. The meeting was attended by the following members of the party:

Slamet	Surabaya	SC
Matrawi	Surabaya	SC
Winot Sukotjo	Wonokromo	OSC
Toniadji	Wonokromo	OSC
Sukandar	Wonokromo	OSC
Wibowo	Wonokromo	OSC

and representatives from the RC's of the Wonokromo OSC.

2. At the meeting, Sukotjo stated that a copy of the OSC's working plan, which was formulated at conferences held in November, 1952, has fallen into the hands of outsiders. He explained that a member of the Masjumi has shown a copy of the plan from the Wonokromo OSC to Slamet, not knowing that the latter is a member of the PKI.¹
3. Sukotjo also announced a reorganization of the executive committee of the Wonokromo OSC with the following new assignments:

General Secretary	Winot Sukotjo
Secretary of Organization	Toniadji

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Secretary of Labor	Wibowo
Secretary of Agitation/Propaganda	Sukenan
Secretary of Finance	Suleman
Secretary of Agriculture and Peace	Sukandar

4. Slamet made the following statements at the meeting:

a. Concerning the international situation:

Stalin prefers peace at this time, because he believes that the capitalistic front will split if there is no war.

b. Concerning the situation in Indonesia:

According to Aidit, members of the present cabinet have often sought the advice of PKI leaders in Djakarta. The PKI has been offered posts in the Cabinet, but they were refused, because the masses are not yet well enough consolidated to take advantage of the political situation. Although the Cabinet is in a state of crisis, the PKI remains strong. President Sukarno has said that the PKI could resolve the difficulties in the cabinet.

Although Bambang Sugeng is a national bourgeois, he is more acceptable than Nasution.

The main enemy of the PKI in Indonesia is the Partai Sosialis Indonesia (PSI). Our policy and tactics must be directed to limiting their influence with the people.

5. A meeting of the new Executive Committee of the Wonokromo OSC was held on 28 January 1953. The meeting was attended by the following officers of the OSC:

General Secretary	Winot Sukotjo
Secretary of Organization	Toniadji
Secretary of Labor	Wibowo
Secretary of Agitation/Propaganda	Sukenan
Secretary of Finance	Suleman
Secretary of Agriculture and Peace	Sukandar

6. The following plans were formulated at the meeting:

- a. Under the management of Toniadji, all members and candidate members of the OSC will be re-registered in the party.
- b. The collection of dues for the general election fund will be intensified. Only R 80 have been collected by the Wonokromo OSC since October 1952. The collection quota for the OSC is R 400 a month.
- c. Under the direction of Wibowo, industrial fractions will be organized in the Bataafsche Petroleum Maatschappij (BPM) factory in Wonokromo and in the tanning factory in Wonotjolo. Pemuda Rakjat groups in the two factories will be

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instructed to work for increased membership and greater influence among the workers.

9. Suleman informed the committee that it would be impossible to send a member of the OSC to the cadre course which will be conducted by the SC beginning 1 February 1953, because adequate funds are not available for the necessary contribution to the SC.
8. Sukotjo told the committee that the Sarekat Buruh Pelabuhan Pelarjangan (SBPP) would hold a conference in Surabaya from 5-11 February 1953 in order to elect a new executive committee of 32 members. The expenses of the conference are estimated to be R 80,000. Representatives from Japan, China, Australia, and the WFTU have been invited to attend. A sum of R 10,000 has been allotted to cover their expenses.

1. [REDACTED] Comment: Sukotjo, who is conducting an investigation of the incident, suspects a member of the Drijo RC who was formerly a member of the Masjumi Party.

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